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BULGARIAN MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

1. BULGARIAN MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAS BEEN
REORGANIZED TO PLACE US AND CANADIAN AFFAIRS IN
FOURTH DEPARTMENT, TOGETHER WITH WESTERN EUROPE.
(FORMER LOCUS, EIGHTH DEPARTMENT, NOW INCLUDES ONLY
LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES.)

2. NEWLY APPOINTED CHIEF OF FOURTH DEPARTMENT IS AMBASSADOR
PERVAN ALEKSANDROV CHERNEV, MOST RECENTLY HEAD OF MFA
POLITICAL RESEARCH, PLANNING, AND INFORMATION OFFICE.
PERNEV HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN AMBASSADOR TO INDONESIA
AND CAMBODIA, AND TO JAPAN AND, FROM 1963 TO 1965, HEAD
OF AMERICAN SECTION OF MFA.

3. FURTHER BIOGRAPHIC INFORMATION REGARDING CHERNEV CAN
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